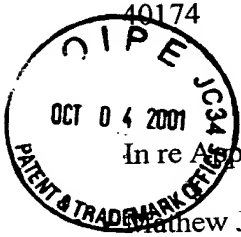


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Matthew J. During

Serial No.: 09/559,327

Filed: 27 April 2000

For: ORAL DELIVERY OF  
ADENO-ASSOCIATED VIRAL VECTORS

Group Art Unit: 1633

Examiner: M. Penn

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for a three-month extension of time to extend the time for responding to the Office Action of 4 April 2001 to 4 October 2001. A check in the amount of \$460.00 for the extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) is attached. This Petition is being filed in duplicate.

The Commissioner hereby is authorized to charge payment of any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 that may become due in connection with the instant application to Deposit Account No. 18-2220.

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Respectfully submitted,

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